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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

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Sir:

The outstanding Final Office Action mailed April 19, 2007 has been carefully considered. In response thereto, please enter the following amendments in which claims 1, 21, and 30 are amended. Claims 1-9 and 20-30 are now pending in the present application. In accordance with 37 U.S.C. §1.114, a Request for Continued Examination is filed concurrently with this response to the Final Office Action so that the Final Office Action mailed April 19, 2007 is now effectively made non-final. Reconsideration and allowance of the application and presently pending claims, as amended, are respectfully requested.